Scarching Cross-Examination of Justice Flammer, the Committing Magistrate.

Testimony of Police, Court Officials, Prison Keepers and Others.

The second day's investigation of the case of ler at one o'clock yesterday. The evidence given below shows that there is considerable feeling exhibited in the case, and it is even asserted that an action for damages will be commenced against the city by relatives of the deceased gentleman, no matter what the verdict may be. In the examination of the officers of the Nineteenth precinct, where the man was locked up, the foreman, to why they had entered Stockvis as "John Doe." Coroner Kessler at last explained that "John Doe" was merely a legal term to cover the name of a man whose patronymic had not been ascertained. The first witness called was

MOSES J. MACK, of No. 126 East Fifty-second street, who testified that on the night of the 20th ult. he saw an officer bave a man under arrest at the corner of Fiftylourth street and Third avenue; the officer asked him to speak to the man; I asked him what was the matter; he did not answer; my brother spoke to him in French, German and English and he made no answer; he pointed up the avenue as if be wanted to go that way: my brother said he thought he was a Swede; he then left; he did not his face with blood; I had no impression that he was drunk; I thought he might be sick, and thought it an act of charity for the officer to take him in; when the officer addressed me he let go his hold of the man, who stood alone and seemed to want to get away; he did not act like a drunken man; I saw no crowd; did not see him walk alone, but he stood alone; if he had smelled of liquor I would have considered him drunk, no matter if he had taken some as medicine to strengthen him: I did not consider him physically capable or kicking anybody.

of No. 228 East Thirtieth street, had a conversation with Mrs. Mast, of Second avenue and Thirtieth street, who keeps a drug store; she said a man, very weak, came in, speechless, and she thought he was going to die; she sent up stairs for a doctor, who gave him something; I mentioned these facts to the lamily of Dr. Hirsch; she said she thought the man Stockvis, described in store; the he was perfectly sober. SERGEANT ROBERTS

was then sworn—He took the Fifty-seventh street desk at midnight of the 20th of February; scribed the additions he had made to Sergeant Hamilton's original entry, whom he relieved : Hamliton stated to witness that there was a man in the corridor whose name he had not gotten; meantime witness called the roll, and he thinks Hamilton went down; Hartmann, the officer, reported that he could not get his name; Hamilton said the charge was intoxication and I put it down; I sent for Officer Grump; arraigned the prisoner before the desk at thirty-five minutes past twelve; one of his arms was linked with one tions and he seemed to speak; saw something on his coat looking like vomit; he seemed somewhat frowsy; he held on to the railing; I should consider he had been under the influence of liquor; he did Act walk steadily; was feeble; vomiting is not a necessary symptom of intoxication; questioned him during the night, but could get nothing out of him: he requised to answer; have been on the force fitteen years; only on one or two occasions have I made the entry of "John Doe ;" some refus early in the evening, but we afterward get their names; sometimes they get so much whiskey in that they wont say anything: I was relieved by of the Sist: the deceased had a mark on his nose

of the 21st; the deceased had a mark on his nose; in the majority of cases a man will get sober in lour or five hours; he was cared for and made as comfortable as possible; had he shown any indication of sickness we would have sent for a doctor. Witness was here cross-examined by the foreman, General Sigel, as to why he entered the man as "John Doe."

Witness was further questioned as to the practice of conducting business at the desk, in the way of relieving, calling roll, &c. It is in the discretion of the sergeant in command to send for a surgeon; there are no special rules on the suoject; it they err in judgment there are other means of reaching him; the police surgeon is subject fo our call; as a general thing he calls daily and inspects the building; he is accountable for the sanitary condition of the house; he must treat prisoners and officers free of charge when called.

To General Sizel—It is not the habit to sentence a man for six months unless he is a confirmed inspirate.

To the Coroner—I made the entry of intoxication between twelve and one; I had no occasion to make any jurther charge than intoxication; had I been aware that he had been disorderly I would have added that charge; I only learned that he was intoxicated.

DOOMAN M'CLEARY,

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DOORMAN MCLEARY.

of the Fifty-seventh street station house, stated his duties in the station house; asserted that he betrayed signs of intoxication; he was before the desk adout ten minutes; saw nothing taken from him except some money and blacking; he could not support himself; he was put back and was quiet; he hung his head; he was not disorderly at any time, neither did he show any ugiv disposition; did not see anybody nurt or maitreat him; had seen hundreds of paradict cases in his experience.

of the Fifty-ninth street poince, tailed to identify the photograph; five or six days after the arrest I noticed an article in the Sun; I entered the stration house about hall-past eight; there met Dr. Hirsch, who said a relative living in Harlem was deranged and missing; the Doctor leit a description at my request; the Doctor said "I would be satisfied if I knew the man was in any station house; if he was I think I would let him remain there this morning;" I instructed the sergeant if any such man came in to notify Dr. Hirsch; the entry on the blotter is in the discretion of the Bergeant; it can be altered in the morning by the magistrate.

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I made a thorough search of the man and found only \$1.04 and two boxes of blacking; did not find the tookco pouch or handkerchier shown.

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sergeant Roberts (recalled) stated that the practice is for the general atarm to be read to the officers; that rule was compiled with in this case. Judge Flammer took the stand. He was snown the photograph of the deceased, which he recognized. He saw him on Sunday morning, the 21st, when arraigned, when he adjudicated upon forty or fitty cases; could not recall the case without the aid of the books now produced. (Witness here explained the entries in the books.) The impression made upon my mind at the time was that the prisoner was without a nome; I gained the impression that he was disorderly from the officer and from his appearance, which was that of a man who had been intoxicated and was recovering from a debugch. Witness here detailed his usual mode of procedure in cases of this kind, and stated that a temporary commitment is usually sent down to enable the officer to get on his post; the full commitment takes the place of the temporary one; if an examination is demanded a longer hearing is given; (here the original record on the books was produced, and it snowed that the man was committed, in default of \$500 bail to keep the peace, to the Workhouse;) the justice described his efort to get the man's name; i thought he might be deaf, so I had paper and pencil given to him.

Coroner Kessier—Was there something in the conduct of the man that led you to believe there was something wrong? A. I have had cases before me often where persons rejused to answer

before me often where persons refused to answer questions.

Coroner—You thought you did all in your power to ascertain the name and residence of the gentleman? Did you ask him to respond to the Garge? A. The officer made the charke; the prisoner did not.

Coroner—What was his expression of countenance? A. Brank; he looked like a drunkard or a confirmed inetrate; I could have made the entry that he was destitute, and sent him up.

Coroner—Did the officer make any other statement in connection with the offence? A. The officer made the charge, and I added, "collecting a crowd and fighting;" this I gathered from the officer; I have no recollection of the case other than as it is recalled to me by the record; I don't recollect the officer's words; my impression is the examination lasted about ten minutes; I think

THE STOCKVIS CASE

| The stated that the man was almost frozen to death; I did not have him examined by the interpreter, but I went through the form.
| Coroner—Were you fully satisfied of the trathfulness of the charge? A. I was satisfied to act judicially in the matter. Coroner—Was not this a case where something further should be codie? The charge was ex parter as lunderstand. Then you received the charge of the officer and near inoting from the accused? A. That is a matter of opinion.
| Coroner—That is true; but he made no answer to the charge? A. No; it is a common occurrence for prisoners to refuse to answer; I had a case at the Special Sessions where the prisoner refused to speak.

speak.

Coroner—Was there not something in the features of this case that would make it more prudent to have a further hearing or a medical examination? A. We never do that; we proceed sumarily, and the cases are always under our control.

Here Justice Flammer emphatically denied that the man had been committed for six months, alleging that the other commitment sent him in delault of \$560 ball to the prison for six months "for sale keeping." and he claimed he had taken this course to protect the man.

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Coroner—Is it a rule in the police courts to committe man without giving him a chance to say anything in his delence? A. I can only say I exhausted every means in my power to get him to speak.

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Coroner—Then you understand that the law makes it necessary for you to dispose of a man as you did? A. So I understand it.

Coroner—Is this usual? A. It is not: look at the record (examining the books); we can compel a man to give bath for his good behavior.

Here the Coroner read from the record of Judge Flammer's court the facts that a man had been arialyned for stealing and was discharged on his own recognizance a week aiter the accused had been sent up for six months. The Coroner asked, "Here is a man arrested for stealing, discharged and on his own recognizance; while the deceased it sent up for six mouths for not answering to his name?" Judge Flammer explained, and Captain Mount confirmed an statement, that this was case where a poor man had taken some boards from a binding that was being forn down and toe officer guaranteed to produce him at any time.

Coroner—Is it not the business of the Judge to give a man a chance to be heard? A. The evidence of one witness is sufficient; I thought the man was suffering from the effects of a debauch. In answer to intriber questions where Justice Flammer was reminded that the record at Police Headquarters and the commitment showed the man was sent up for six months he stated that the clerk of his Gourt had failed to make the book conform to the commitment, and he sudded that, if not discharged by the magistrate, a Commissioner, of for cause, he would have served six months; after temporary commitment me was given over to the keeper; when hr. Hirsch came to me in Special sessions and stated the case I at once ordered his discharged by the magistrate, a Commissioner, or for cause, he would have served six months; after temporary commitment me was given over to the keeper; when hr. Hirsch came to min hispetial produces of the control of the branch of the first day and the

NEW YORK CITY.

Miss Anna E. Dickinson gives her "Joan of Arc" lecture at Unity chapel, Harlem, this evening, for John Ryan, of No. 119 West Thirty-first street,

and Honora Driscoll, of No. 76 Oliver street, fell yesterday in the street and each broke a leg.
William Brown, wao fell down stairs while intoxicated at his residence, No. 381 First avenue, and sustained a fracture of the skull, died at Believue Hospital pesterday.

A sketch of the life of General James Tyrrell was

read last evening by Mr. Martin H. Stafford at the meeting of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society in Mott Memorial Hall.

A Lady Washington Tea Party is announced to be held at the armory of the Seventy-first regi_ ment, corner of Broadway and Thirty-fith street, and 31, for the benefit of the "Sheltering Arms." The Executive Committee of the "Bread and

Beef House," an organization which was exceedingly useful in relieving destitution last year, held a special meeting last evening in the Memorial church, No. 139 West Forty-eighth street, to con-sider the present wide-spread distress in the city and devise means for its alleviation.

Edward Gahon, aged thirty-seven, of No. 23 Second street, was taken to the Thirteenth precinct station house suffering severely and apparently demented. A doctor was sent for, who pronounced him to be under the influence of a dose of hydrate of chloride taken as a remedy for neuralgia. Gahon was sent to Si. Vincent's Hostical

The regular police trials took piace yesterday before Commissioner Voorbis. The number of cases was very great, but they were mainly for being drunk and of post. The only one of any in-terest was that of Sergeant Randall, who was charged with being in a lager beer saloon playing cards on the evening of February 28. The Ser-geant's defence was that it was his night off duty. In the regular meeting of the Young Men's Woman Suffrage League, at room 24, Cooper Union, last evening, Mrs. Henrietta Payne Westbrook delast evening, Mrs. Henrietta Payne Westorook de-livered the principal address, with the compre-hensive title, "Facts and Fancies: or, Why Are Equal Rights Withheld from Women?" At the conclusion of her fanciful array of facts a general discussion lollowed, mainly on the affirmative side of the question whether women should be required to vote, fight and serve on juries, for though the opponents of suffrage extension were specially in-vited not one in ten of juem attended the meeting.

BROOKLYN.

In the City Court yesterday Junge Reynolds heard the arguments of counsel on a motion to consolidate the three libel suits of Henry C. Bowen against the Brooklyn Eagle. Decision reserved. Detectives Butts and Williams yesterday arrested a woman named Ellen Osborne on a charge of steading \$100 worth of clothing from Mr.
William Creignton, of Biltimore. She will be
taken to that city to-day.

Mrs. Gale, who was arrested on suspicion of

being implicated in the death of Miss Antoinetta Fenner from inafpractice, was yesterday committed to Raymond Street Jail by order of Coroner Simms. The police are still engaged in the search for the abortionist. The funeral of the deceased took place yesterday from her late residence, No. 68 President street.

LONG ISLAND.

It is now thought that the Keisey case will eally be tried at the spring term of the Supreme The Suffolk County Court and Court of Bessions.

Judge Hedges presiding, will convene at the Court House in Riverhead on Monday next. There is to be a friendly contest between the firemen of Greenport and Riverhead as to which can throw the most water in a given time. There is a report that Mr. G. F. Wells, of Aquebogue, while repairing the lallen wall of a cellar one day last week, found a considerable quantity of gold. He has bought a revolver, and "sleeps on his arms."

It is understood that the deficiency in the accounts of Mr. Edgar Ketcham, Collector of the town of Babylon, amount to about \$5,000. The Suffolk County Supervisors are now making an investigation.

A number of the merchants of Riverhead have

offered prizes to be awarded to the scholars in the Union School of that place who shall pass the best examination. The contest to take place some time during the present month.

Mr. Evans, the husband of the unfortunate weman who cut the throats of her two children and then her own, at Seymour, Conn., on Monday

last, was, up to a short time ago, a resident of Long Island city, and was at the time of the trag-edy fransacting business in the city. While Mrs. Calvin Jennings, of Aquebogue, was preparing dinner on Tuesday, she stepped out of doors to get some wood, and during her absence a loud explosion occurred in an iron pot. When she returned she found the remains of a pudding scattered over the room. It is supposed that there was some explosive substance in the saieratus.

The National Board of Fire Underwriters have parties who set fire to Engine house No. 5, Hunter's Point, on the 7th uit, thereby causing a loss of \$40,000 worth or property. The Mayor has approved of the resolution of the Common Council authorizing the Fire Commissioners to advertise for proposals for two third class steam engines for the city.

The charter election in Long Island City will take place on the 6th of April. The officers to be elected are a Mayor, Supervisor, Overseer of the Poor, five Aldermen at large, a constable and an Alderman for each of the five wards of the city. The Regular Democratic General Committee have ordered the ward primaries to be held on the 24th inst. and the City Convention to meet at Schehr's Hotel the saturday iollowing, at two P. M. May's Debevoise, the candidate for re-election, was the choice of the committee.

STATEN ISLAND

Justice Garrett sent James Morehead, of Stapleton, to the Richmond Jail yesterday on the charge of petit larceny.

The Excise Board of Southfield have drawn lots for terms with the following result:—P. V. Nolan, three years; W. W. Gallagher, two years; J. Kelly, one year.

An immense water reservoir has been constructed on an elevation behind the Bostwick warehouses at Tompkinsville, by means of which, in case of fire, the buildings can be entirely flooded if necessary. It is reported that a bill has gone to the Legis-

lature to provide for digging down Pavilion Hill at Tompkinsville, and using the material in filling up the bay in front to a distance of 400 feet, where there is now a mean depth of water sufficient to float the largest steamships running to this port. As the ferryboat Northfield was leaving landing at Stapleton yesterday morning a passenger named John Klein attempted to jump on shore and fell overboard. The pilot stopped the boat when the alarm was given and one of the hands succeeded in rescuing Kiein in an almost ex-hausted condition.

NEW JERSEY.

The investigation was begun yesterday in Newkilled at the Commerce street station on Monday

ployed as a brakeman on the New Jersey Midland Railroad, while coupling cars in a freight train, at Wortendyke yesterday morning, was so badly crushed that he died within half an hour after-

THE LIVINGSTONE HOMICIDE.

A NOVEMBER NIGHT'S TRAGEDY IN JERSEY CITY.

The trial of James Hunt and Michael Gilligan for the manslaughter of William Livingstone on the night of the 28th of November last was commenced yesterday before Judges Hoffman and Wiggins. District Attorney Garretson appeared for the State and the prisoners were delended by Messra.

Dixon, Rowe and Daiy.

The first witness was William Whyte, who testified:-William Livingstone was my stepfather; he lived with me in November last; he was home between seven and eight o'clock on the evening of the 28th; he went out before eight o'clock; accompanied him and went as far as Bay and Grove streets to Mr. Cleary's liquor store; Mr. Cleary cashed a cneck for Livingstone by giving him in exchange a check on the Mechanics and Laborers' Savings Bank for \$60: he went to the bank, got the money and gave me \$55 of it; we went down Grove street, and when near Newark avenue I leit him and went back; did not see him afterward till I saw his body in Brady's morgue; he drank only one glass of beer in Cleary's; we had not been

there over ten minutes.

Daniel Cleary, examined:—I keep a liquor store on the corner of Bay and Grove streets; knew on the corner of Bay and Grove streets; knew William Livingstone; saw him in my store on the evening of the 25th of November; hir. Whyte was with him; cashed a check for him and they went out; Livingstone came back about eight o'clock and played cards with James Bennett; Livingstone was still there at hall-past eleven, when I went to bed; did not know anything of the disturbance till I was informed of it next morning.

James Bennett testified:—I was with Livingstone in Daniel Cleary's saloon; we played one or two games of cards; Livingstone harried me up, as he said he wanted to go out and get some oysters; he asked me to go and have some with him; after we had oysters we had ale; we stopped about three-quarters of an hour; we had three glaases of ale each while we were sitting at the table; an argument arose between Livingstone and two men, named Dowling and Brown, about the equality of the negro; I saw the prisoners, Gilligan and Hunt and another young man at the end of the

men, named Dowling and Brown, about the equality of the negro; I saw the prisoners, Giligan and Hunt and another young man at the end of the bar, near the door; it was closing up time, and Livingstone and I got up and came out; we stopped talking about business for some minutes outside; don't know whether the other men left before or after us, but they came out; the prisoners went toward Newark avenue; one of them (Hunt) returned and shoved up against me; he said to Giligan, the other prisoner, "Is this the man?" Giligan answered, "No, it's the other fellow;" Hunt then struck Livingstone twice on the head or face and knocked him down; I tried to pacify Hunt; Livingstone walked off about twelve or fifteen feet; his nat was off, and I picked it up and gave it to him; he said that hat aid not belong to him, and we went back to look for his hat; the two prisoners and a tuird man were still standing there; Livingstone told them it was the first time he was ever struck in that manner, that he worked for Mr. Whyte, the mason, and never offended anybody; Hunt said something about a cigar; Livingstone said he would pay for cigars rather than have any trouble; the third man then struck Livingstone, knocking him down; he fell back, his head striking within two leet of the curb; the three men then waked away toward Newark avenue; I called Francis Dowling to help me to lift Livingstone up; we could not raise him to his feet, and we set him against a sign post; he was oleeding freely from his mouth and nose; lasked McFeeiey, the keeper of the cyster saloon, to give me a club, so that I could sound an alarm; he gave me no satisfaction, but went in and shut the door; a strange man came along and we took Livingstone up and carried him to a drug store; wen we got him inside it was discovered that ne was dead. On cross-examination witness said that Gilligan did not ouch the deceased as far as he knew. On cross-examination witness said that Gilligan did not touch the deceased, as far as he knew.

Henry Mackin, barkeeper for Mr. Cleary, and Francis bowling were next examined, after which the case was adjourned until this morning. Relily, the third party who was indicted and who, according to the testimony given, struck the blow that sent Livingstone to his grave, escaped immediately after the aftray. Edward Cosgrove, another of the gang, is under indictment as an accessory.

THE MULVIHILL CASE.

The trial of John Mulvinill, for shooting at Charles F. Ruh with intent to kill, was resumed in the Court of Quarter Sessions, at Jersey City, vesterday. Counsel for both sides having sun med up Judge Hoffman charged the jury. He said that the counts in the indictment charging the prisoner with assault and battery should be en-tirely disregarded, as there was no evidence to

their disregardes, as support them.

The jury were out three-quarters of an hour, when they came into court with a verdict of guilty on the first count and not guilty on the other counts, that is he was convicted of shooting at Run with intent to kill, and was acquited of the charge of shooting at Fritz A. Meyer and Peter Hausen. Mulvinin was then remanded for sen-

SLUSH IN THE STREETS.

Slush, ranging all the way from muddy water to hard packed snow-ice, superabounded yesterday in ail our streets except Broadway. Ail the narrow streets on which there is much traffic were cow streets on which there is much traffic were covered with it to such an extent as to seriously impede travel by vehicles and saily inconvenience penestrians who essayed the difficult task of fording the street crossings without wetting their leet. Such of the more harrow streets as are traversed by street railroad lines were more or less scenes of conflict. On Tuesday night gangs of men in the employ of the street Cleaning Bureau threw the show, which had been piled by the side of the railroad track in Eighth street, back upon the track, covering it to the depth of more than a foot. When the railway men remonstrated the police protected the hoovers and the cars were withdrawn, being unable to make their way even it jurnished with eight horses and empty. were withdrawn, being unable to make their way even if intrushed with eight horses and empty. This led to the commencement of legal proceedings to test the powers and duties of the parties in this and similar cases. Everybody who stirred out of doors at all suffered more or less from the slash, but the increasing warmin of the weather giving promise of a speedy abutement of the nutsance, to be followed by spring enjoyments, compelled even chronic grumblers to reasonable good nature under the indiction which even modern science is not able to prevent or to remove, in ther than nature and the elements unaided do it.

THE BLAME LOCATED.

Three Verdicts in the St. Andrew's Church Disaster.

WORK FOR THE GRAND JURY.

The Chiefs of the Fire Department and Department of Buildings Censured.

The Architect and the Contractor Also Responsible.

The Coroner's jury in the St. Andrew's church catastrophe investigation assembled at the Coroner's office promptly at nine o'clock yesterday morning and retired to a private room for the purpose of making up their verdict, or, as sphee-

CORONER RICKHOPP was promptly on hand, as was also a number of interested spectators; but the latter took their departure about eleven o'clock, having learned that the verdict would probably not be ready until some time during the afternoon. This information, however, was erroneous, as the jury came into the office at twelve o'clock and an-nounced that their deliberations were at an end and their conclusions arrived at.

The roll having been called and responded to by all the jurymen Mr. Meade arose and read the verdict of the majority first and then the two others. At the conclusion Mr. Ottendorfer requested on behalf of the jury that the verdict be sent to the District Attorney's office and a copy to the Mayor as soon as practicable. A vote of thanks was then tendered to Coroner Eickhoff for the able and impartial mapner in which he had performed his duties in the case, after which the

performed his duties in the case, after which the jury were discharged.

VERDICT OF THE MAJORITY.

STATE OF NEW YORK—City and County of New York, s.a.—An inquisition, taken at the Cororer's office. No. 40 East Houston street, in the Fitteenth ward of said city and county, this loth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, before Anthony Eickhoff, Coroner of the city and county aforesaid, on view of the bodies of Michael McCarthy and four others, now or recently lying deaf at the Sixth precinct station house in said city, upon the oaths and affirmations of ten good and lawful men of said State, quiy chosen and sworn or affirmed as aforesaid, and charged to inquire in benail of the people of said State how and in what manner the said Michael McCarthy and the four others came to their death, do, upon their oaths and affirmations, say:—

That we find and certify that Michael McCarthy, Catharine McGuinness and Rosa McGiynn came to their deaths from injuries received from being struck by and oursed under the débris in the gallery of St. Andrew's courch, arising from the crushing in of the roof of said church by the failing theteon of a portlin of the west wall of building No. 25 Duane street, owned by James M. Shaw, on the evening of Ferruary 25, 1875; and that Mary A. Conners and Thomas Feeney came to their deaths by being crushed and trampled upon such falling of said wall on said evening of February 25, 1875.

That we also further find that the said walls of

such falling of said wall on said evening of February 25, 1875.

That we also further find that the said walls of Shaw's building, No. 25 Duane street, were in an unsafe and daugerous condition when said fall occurred, and had been in such condition since the occasion of a fire in said building on January 12, 1875; and

That the Chief of the Fire Department of the city of New York and his Chief of Battalion in charge are censurable for inefficient discharge of dury in not causing the daugerous portions of said wall to be thrown down before leaving the place of said fire; and

That the Department of Buildings in said city is guilty of violation of dury in not taking sufficient legal means to secure said walls, or to cause the dangerous portions thereof to be removed in the interval from said January 12 to date of calamity, a period of forty-four days, and also in not warning persons in the immediate neighborhood of said walls of the daugerous condition thereof; and

That as John B. Snooks, the architect of said

not warning persons in the immediate neighborhood of said walls of the dangerous condition thereof; and

That as John B. Snooks, the architect of said building, was intrusted by the owner thereof during said period with full authority and discretion respecting the same, we also further find that said architect erred in judgment in not taking additional precautions for the security or removal of the dangerous portions of said wall; and

We recommend to the Mayor of this city to at once make application to the Legislature of this State for such amendments to the building laws as will secure adequate means of egress from all buildings in which large numbers of people are employed or do congregate, whereby the saiety of life shall be promoted against intalties of dire, panic or other emergencies of like nature.

In witness whereof we, the said jurors, as well as the Coroner, have to this inquisition set our hands and scals on the day and place aforesaid. OSWD OFTENDORFER, D. OFDINOGHUE, EUGENE KELLY.

JAMES LYNCH,

J. D. MELUS.

E. R. MEADE.

E. LERVECK,

E. S. DONNELLY.

A SUPPLEMENTARY VERDICT.

I agree with the above finding in each particular.

E. R. MEADE.

G. LERYECK,

A SUPPLEMENTARY VERDICY.

I agree with the above finding in each particular, and find, in addition, that the construction of the gallery stairways and the doors in opening inward at St. Andrew's church, which occasioned the death of two of the aforesaid persons, calls for severe censure.

MESSES, TROW AND TERBELL'S VERDICY.

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The undersigned, members of said jury, do, upon their oaths and affirmations, say that they are unable to agree with the findings and verdict herein of the majority of said jury nereto annexed, and for themselves find and cerity.

That Michael McCarthy and Cacharine McGinnes scame to their deaths on the evening of February 25, 1875, in St. Andrew's church, in said city, by the tailing upon them of a portion of the west wall of an adjoining ouiding, No. 25 Duane street, the property of James M. Shaw, and that Mary A. Conners, Thomas Feeney and Rose McGiynn came to tour deaths at the same time by being crushed and trampled upon during the panic where ensued immediately after said tail, and in consequence of inadequate provisions for the safe exit of the congregation, the stairway being too narrow and crooked, and the outside doors being hung to open inward, both of which defects caused the sacrifice of their lives.

We find upon the evidence adduced before us that the chiefs of the Fire Department, the Building Department and the architect of the building Department and the architect of the building per the sacrifice of the fire department, the Building Department and the architect of the building Department and the architect of the building Bepartment and the architect of the building Department and the architect of the building Bepartment and the architect of the buildin

and allowing said wall to be sufficiently said erred in judging said wall to be sufficiently said and allowing it to stand.

We also find from the testimony of Amos N. Titus, contractor for rebuilding, that he had possession and control of the walls of the Shaw building, under a contract for rebuilding, from the 12th day of February to the 25th day of same month, 1875—the date of the calamity—and considered the walls very dangerous all the time, and therefore consider him guilty of gross carelessness in that he did not during that period cause the dangerous walls to be removed or made secure.

JOHN F. TROW.

H. S. TERBELL.

AN INGENIOUS BURGLARY.

HOW THE GANG PLAYED 'POSSUM WITH THE PO-LICE. On Tuesday morning Patrolman Flannery, of the

Church street police station, discovered that a buigiary had been committed at the lottery and exchange establishment kept by Messrs. Nathan & Troup at No. 4 Cortlandt street, which forms a portion of the Benedict Building in Broadway. The officer found that the burgiars had entered by the fanlight over the door, and had then made their way to the safe and empsted it of its valuables, leaving behind a complete burglar's "kit." bles, leaving behind a complete burgiar's "kit," on sisting of a combination jimmy, a large leading of a combination jimmy, a large leading of a combination jimmy, a large leading perhaps for spounds, as screw wrench and a steel punch, all of the most approved types. The burgiars had accomplised their task with great speed and had let themselves out of the front door, by removing some of the fastenings and boits. The officer in question had been engaged with his prother officers Tucker and Grace at a lager beer saloon in Cortiants street, about a block and a half from the scene of the burgiary, in investigating what appeared to them a ourgiary, but taking there appears to the consideration with another, there appears to the consideration with another, the larger beer saloon nad been forced open by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplices as part of their plot, knowing tuil well that when discovered by the burgiars or their accomplication that the pro consisting of a combination jimmy, a large leaden

done the burgiars accomplished their task at No.
4. Charges have been preferred at Police Head-quariers against Plannery by Captain Sancers for dereliction of duty in not having had his post covered by another officer while engaged at the open door of the lager beer saloon.

ARREST OF LIQUOR DEALERS.

Excise Inspectors Joseph Forbes and William Costello arrested, at eight o'clock last evening, Edward Slavio, liquor dealer, lorty-six years old, for violation of the Excise law in selling liquors without a license, at his store. No. 6 West street, The prisoner is a member of the Liquor Dealers' Protective Union and has openly defied the Excise Commissioners to force him to take out a license. Upon his arrival at the Church street police station he requested Captain Saunders to allow him to go out on parole; but Captain Saunders, who was behind the desk, informed Mr. Stavin that it was entirely out of his power to release him and that he would have to go before the court to-day in the usual manner. The following table snows the comparative con-dition of the licensed and unlicensed liquor dealers in the following police precincts:—

Licensed, Unlicensed. Third precinct.....

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

MARRIED.

STRINGER-WELLS.—On Thursday, Pebruary 18, by the Rev. Dr. Carter, John Stringer to Hannah, eldest daughter of Benjamin G. Wells, Esq., all of

ALLAIRE.—At White Plains, N. Y., on Saturday, March 6, 1875, Alexander B. Allaire, in the 88th year of his age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence at white Plains, on Thursday, 11th inst., at half-past ten A. M. Trains, eave Grand Central depot, via Hariem Railroad, at 8:30 and 9:15 A. M. Remains will be taken to New Routelei for interment.

ATWATER.—At Norwood, N. J., on Tuesday morning, March 9, Elliot, eldest son of William and Margaret A. Atwater, aged 21 years.

Funeral services at his late home, on Thursday, the 11th inst., at twelve o'clock M. Friends are invited to attend. Trains leave Pavonia lerry, at Chambers street, at 0:30 A. M.

BAILEY.—At Dambury, Conn., on Tuesday, March 9, HORTENSE ELIZABETH, only child of Aron T. and Catherine G. Bailey, in the 3d year of her age.

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The relatives and friends are invited to attend The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her grand-nather, Benjamin Lynes, No. 8 East Forty-lith sirect. G: Friday, at one o'clock P. M.

BANTA.—At Hohokus, Bergen county, N. J.,
March 8, 1875, siter a long and painful filness,
SAMUEL : BANTA, in the 75th year of his age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, at Hohokus, on Thursday, February II, at one o'clock. Carriages will be at depot on arrival of 10:45 A. M. train from New York, Chambers street, Eric Balfroad.

BIRCHALL.—At Port Morris, N. Y., on Tuesday, the 9th inst., Ellen, daugnter of Nathan and Louisa Birchall.

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Philadelphia papers please copy.

BROWN.—On Tuesday, March 9, Adolphus BROWN, in the 52d year of his age.

Reatives and friends of the family are respectively invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 54 Lewis street, on Thursday, March 11, at one o'clock P. M.

BROWN.—Un't nesday, March 9, at Derby, Cond., John BROWN, in the 2-d year of his age.

The luneral will take place on Thursday, 11th inst., at haif-past two P. M., at his late home, No. 143 Bedford avenue. The relatives and friends are cordinally invited to be present.

COMPANY A, SEVENTH REGIMENT N. G. S. OF N. Y.—The members of this command are requested to attend the funeral, in citizen's dress, of our late comrade, John B. Brown, on Thursday, 11th inst., at hail-past two P. M., from No. 143 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, E. D. Per order,

RICHARD ALLISON, Captain.

H. G. Haeger, First Serxeant.

BUCKHOUT.—At Harrison, near White Plains, on

H. G. HAEGER, FIRST STREET WHITE PIRITS.
BUCKHOUT.—At Harrison, near White Plains, on Theeday, March 9, 1875, CHARLOTTE EVELINE, Wile of the late Jacob Buckhout, in the 68th year of her

age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from Grace church, White Plains, on Saturday, March 13, at half-past one o'clock P. M. Train leaves Grand Central depot at forty minutes past eleven. BUCKLEY.—On the 10th inst., at his residence, 71 Nassau street, Brooklyn, John Buckley, aged 2 years.

CARTER.—At Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, November 30, 1874, Lieutenant A. BEACH CARTER, United States Navy, 125 of the United States steamer Benicia, sou of the Rev. Dr. A. B. Carter, of this city.

Steamer Benicia, sou of the Rev. Dr. A. B. Carter, of this city.

The funeral services will take place at the Church of the Holy Saviour, East Twenty-dith street, on Saturday, March 13, at one o'clock P. M. Corbitt.—On March 16, at the residence of his brother, P. Corbitt, 308 East Eighty-fourth street, of consumption, Danis Corbitt, aged 33 years.

His remains will be taken on Friday, at seven o'clock A. M., to the Forty-second street depot, and thence to Dandury for interment on Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock. The friends of the iamily are respectfully invited to attend the funeral.

DICKINSON.—On Wednesday morning, at his residence, 259 Grove street, Jersey City, William H. Dickinson, aged 39 years.

Notice of funeral hereniter.

DILLON.—On Wednesday, March 10, 1875, Mrs. Bridger Dillon, aged 80 years.

The iriends of the jamily are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, John Keily, 252 East 109th street, on Friday, at one o'clock, without further notice.

DUNWELL.—On Tuesday, March 9, 1875, Mrs. Sarah K. Dunwell, aged 83 years.

Relatives and iriends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, 12th inst, at eleven o'clock, at the residence of William F. Trout, No. 71 Spring street.

DURBOW.—At Vineland, N. J., on Tuesday,

Street.

DUBRION.—At Vineland, N. J., on Tuesday,
March 9, Sarah A., widow of John B. Durbrow
and daughter of the late Robert M. Fuller, of New
Vorte

York.
The relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend the funeral, on Friday morning, the 12th, at eleven o'clock, from 25 Elm place.

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Evans.—At Sterne Ridge, Ulster county, on March 2, 1875, miss Mary Evans, sister of the late David Evans, aged 69 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

FEELY.—On Tuesday morning, at the residence of her brother, Michael Feely, 24 Henry street, Mary Anne Feely, aged 57 years and 6 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, March 11, at ten o'clock A. M. Her remains will be taken to St. James' church, James sireet, where asolemn mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repose of her sonl, and from thence to Calvary Cemetery for futerment.

Fishers.—Of diphtheria, Tuesday, March 9, Anna Rowena Louise, only child o' Francis B. and Louise W. Fisher, aged 7 years and 2% months.

Funeral to take place to-day, March 11, at twelve M., from the residence of her parents, 216 quincey street, Brookiyh.

Flack.—At Rome, Ga., on Saturday, March 6, Edward P. Flack, aged 30 years.

The relatives and friends of the family, also Phenix Caapter, No. 2, R. A. M., and Maren Lodge, No. 185, F. and A. M., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his fate residence, 308 East Sixty-flith street, on Thursday, 11th inst., at one o'clock F. M.

et half-past one o'clock P. M., from her late rest dehce, 513 First avenue. New York city.

Harris.—At Morrisania, March 9, suddenly, Mary, wile of James Harris, in the 67th year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from St. Paul's Episcopal caurch, Fordham avenue, near Eighth street, or Friday, March 12, at one o'clock P. M.

Holdsworth.—In this city, March 9, Mary H., daughter of Sarah F. and the late John Holdsworth, aged 20 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services, at No. 212 West Thirty-seventh street, on Thursday, the 11th inst., at twelve hoof. The remains will be conveyed to limitavstown, N. J., for interment.

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March 10, 1875, Sanuel Relley, in the 33d year of
his age.
Relatives and friends of the family are in
vited to attend his funeral, from St. Peter's Episcopal church, on Saturday, 13th inst., at half-pasi
two o'clock P. M. New Haven trains leave depot,
Forty-second streat, at twelve o'clock M.
Kinnaird,—at High Bridgeville, on Tuesday,
March 9, of pneumonia, Florence Joseph, only
son of Lavinia F. and Wham J. Kinnaird, aged 21
months and 17 days.
Funeral to take place on Friday, March 12, at
one o'clock, from the residence of his grandfather,
Whilam H. Florence, Esq., 151st street and Eights
avenue, Relatives and friends of the family are
respectively invited to attend.
Konner.—on thesday, March 9, Anna Apslips
Konner, from stotel, amt hehe, Hanover, in the
soin year of her age.
Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend
her funeral, from the house of her uncle. Mr. E. C.
Körner, Fourth avenue, hear seventy-nints aircet,
on Thursday, lith inst., at i welve o'clock M.
LEONARD.—At Flushing, Tuesday, March 9,
Sosas Leonard, in the 28th year of his age.
The relatives and irlends of the family are invited to attend his uneral, this day (Thursday), at
hali-past two P. M., from the Methodist Episcopal
Church, Finshing.
Lewis.—Atter a short illness, Meier Lewis, aged
60 years.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the
funeral, from his iste residence, 359 East Pitty-drasstreet, on Thursday, March 11, at twelve o'clock,
San Francisco, Chicago, Louisville and Cincinnati papers please copy.
MALONE.—On Weinesday, March 10, Epith,
youngest daughter of John and Marie Malone,
aged 6 months and 8 days.
Relatives and irlends of the lamily are invited
to attend the funeral, from the residence of her
parents, 310 East Twentleth street, on Thursday,
at 2 P. M.
Moore, widow of the late William Moore, of New
York city, the ber 85th year.

MULLISS.—On the 9th man. Arrur, youngest son of John and Henrictta Mullins, aged 1 year and 10 hours, with the 12th Mullins, at tending the funeral, on Friday morning, 12th inst., at tending the funeral, on Friday morning, 12th inst., at tending the funeral, on Friday morning, 12th inst., at tending the funeral, on Friday morning, 12th inst., at tending the funeral form of the residence of her son-in-law, Henry Rosenbohm, 554 Broome street. Her remains will be taken to Greenwood.

MULLISS.—On the 9th inst. ARRUR, youngest son of John and Henrictta Mullins, aged 1 year and 10 months.

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Funeral from 230 Third street, Jersey City, at two o'clock, on Thursday.

MULVANEY.—On Tuesday, March 9, Mary, wife of Caristopher Mulvaney, in the 70th jear of her

of Christopher Mulvaney, in the 70th year of her age.

Relatives and irlends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 40 West Thirteenth street, on Friday, March 12, at one o'clock, sharp, McCleany.—On Tuesday, March 9, of diphtheria, Maily E. McCleany, aged 12 years, 3 mouths and 9 days. o days.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend the uneral services, on Thursday, 11th inst., at two o'clock, from the residence of her parents, foot of Court street, Brooklyn.

MCCOY.—On Wadnesday, March 10, CATHERINE ANN MCCOY, beloved wife of Patrick McCoy and daughter of Mary and the late Michael Donovan, aved 27 years.

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The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the functal, from het late residence, 31 Hamilton street, on Friday,

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McGinty.—On Wednesday morning, at the residence of his son Michael, Patrick McGinty, aged 59 years, a native of the county Monaghan, parish of Clontufrat, townland Rossolar.

The relatives and iriends are respectfully invited to attend the tuneral, from the residence of his son Michael, 1,450 First avenue, on F. 1day morning, at nine o'clock, His remains will be taken to St. Lawrence's caurch, East Eighty-lourth street, Madison avenue, where a solemb mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repost of his soul, and from thence to Calvary Cemetery, McLoughtin, Actop's Second avenue, on Wednesday, March 10, 1875, William McLoughlin,

The friends of the iamily are bereby invited sentend the funeral services, which will take place from the acove number on Friday, the 12th inst., at halipast two o'clock precisely.

McMains.—On Wednesday, Ma ch 10, Susan McMains, in the 71st year of her age.

The tuneral will take place on Friday next, at one o'clock, from the residence of her daughter, No. 38 Minth avenue, New York. The relatives and friends are respectfully layited to attend.

Owen.—Suddenty, on Moniay, March 8, at Evansville, Ind., Adoniram J. Owen, in the 35th year of his age.

the file, the first said friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from his late residence, corner of Dey and Larch streets, West End, Jersey City Heights, on Friday, the 12th inst. at eleven o'clock. Trains leave Corrlands and Despresses street ferries for Marion station at 9:55.

Grace church, White Plains, on Saturday, March 13, at hall-past one o'clock P. M. Train leaves Grand Central depot at forty minutes bast eleven. Buckley.—On the 10th inst., at his residence, 11 Nassau street, Brooklyn, John Buckley, aged 62 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

Bundy.—On Monday evening, March 8, Nelson H. Bundy, in the 57th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his faneral, from his late residence, 115 Clinton place, on Thursday, March 11, at two P. M.

Boston and Worcester papers please copy.

Carter.—At Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, November 39, 1874, Licutenant A. Beach Carter, the first part of the imily are invited to attend the inneral, from the residence of her grandlather, John M. Hicks. No. 201 Beach of her grandlather, John M. Hicks.

vited to attend the juneral, from the residence of her grandiather, John M. Hicks, No. 251 Washing-ton street, Brooklyn, on Thursday, March 11, at half-past two P. M. PURDY.—At New Castle, N. Y., on Wednesday, March 10, 1875, Sarah, wife of P. G. Purdy, aged 38

years.

Relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend the funeral services, at the Episcopal church, on Friday, the 10th Inst, at one o'clock P. M., without further notice.

QUINN.—February 24, 1875, at Plum Creek, Neb., Bellak Barry, who of Thomas Quinn, formerly of Brooklyn.

REINECKE.—On Tuesday morning, March & Amelia G., oldest daugnter of Frederick W. and Hannan M. Reinecke, aged 5 years, 10 months and Amelia G., closest daugnter of Frederick W. and Hannan M. Reinecke, aged 5 years, 10 months and 16 days.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectably invited to attend the tuneral, from the residence of her parents, No. 73 Henry street, on Thursday, March 11, at one P. M.

Rollins.—On Tuesday, March 9, at her residence, 856 Seventh avenue, Bridger Rollins, the beloved whie of James Rollins, a native of the parish of Capperd, Queens county, Ireland, in the 41st year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, March 12, at ten o'clock A. M. Her remains will be taken to the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, Filty-inith street and Ninth avenue, where a solemn high requirem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, and from thence to Caivary Cemetery for inferment.

Seinas.—On Wednesday, March 10, Norman J. Seinas.—On Wednesday, March 10, Norman J. Seinas, aged 31 years, son of Isaac G. and the late Rachel J. Seinas.

Relatives and friends are requested to attend the inneral, from his late residence, 523 Greenwick street, at 10 o'clock this A. M.

Shick.—On March 10, 1876. Charles Shick, Shaged 70 years, 6 months and 16 days.

Friends and relatives are respectfully invited a attend the funeral from his late residence, 33 Develock.

Story.—At Flatbush, Long Island, on Wedness.

street, Brookivn. E. D., Friday, March 12, at half past one o'clock.

Story.—At Piatbush, Long Island, on Wednesday, March 10, Captain William W. Story, is the 7th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, officers and members of the Board of Marine Underwriters, of the Board of Piot Commissioners, of the Marine Society and of the Seaman's Fundana Retreat, ace respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, Flatoush, of Friday, March 12, at two o'clock P. M.

Tallman.—At Hackensack, N. J., on Wednesday, March 10, of consumption, John J. Tallman, age 79 years and 6 months.

Funeral on Friday, the 12th inst., at half-past twelve P. M., from his late residence, corner State and Sussex streets, and one P. M., from the True Reformed Dutch church, Hackensack, Relatives and friends are invited without further notice.

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TREANOR.—At his late residence, 415 West Porty-fifth screet, in the 64th year of his age, after a ingering illness. Parrick Treanor, a native of the county Tyrone, Ireland.

The luneral will proceed from the house, on Saturday morning at a quarter to ten, to the Church of St. Francis Kavier, Sixteenth street, between Fith and Sixth avenues, where a solemn requiem mass will be sung for the repose of his soul; thence to Caivary Cemetery. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.